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LEXINGTON CHAPTER NO. 10, ROYAL ARCH MASONS

Entertains the Grand High Priest and Other Dignitaries. Election of Officers.

In response to an invitation of Lexington Chapter No. 10 Royal Arch Masons a large number of mason throughout the county and many high dignitaries of the grand lodge assembled in Lexington Tuesday in a special-regular convocation in honor of the Grand High Priest George T. Burnham, of Milan, Mo., and to assist in conferring the Mark Master's and the Past Master's degree and to participate in the ceremonies of the completion of the Temple.

The first mentioned degree was conferred by members of Mt. Hope Lodge No. 476, A. F. & A. M. and members of Lexington Chapter No. 10 Royal Arch Masons. C. L. Frost, right worshipful master; M. S. Powell, senior warden; R. W. Powell, junior warden; R. D. Crank, master overseer; Chris Wagner, senior overseer; M. L. Seafross, junior overseer; Sam C. Baggart, senior deacon; C. P. Green, junior deacon and H. W. McNeel, marshal. The work of these officers was thoroughly enjoyed and an inspiration to all present.

Later in the afternoon the Past Master's degree was conferred by Dr. Walter R. Eckle. Dr. Eckle's state wide reputation for excellence in masonic work was further enhanced in this ceremony. It was thorough and impressive, not only to the candidates but to all companions.

At six o'clock the real artists of the occasion gave further proof of their proficiency in gashomy. Every mason in Lafayette county already knows the name of "the same worthy three," but, by chance there is son Rip Van Winkle in the order, let to awaken, their names are hereby mentioned: M. C. McFadin, C. L. Glasscock and F. Lee Wallace. Their last exhibition was their best. Perhaps some one will read this who was not present Tuesday and wonder at the possibility of the truthfulness of that statement, but we can assure him that no exaggeration is possible when

those three meet with one common purpose—that of feeding "The Salt of the Earth."

The feast was followed by a banquet of toasts. High Priest H. T. Phillips introduced a few of the visiting companions who responses gave further proof that "the same worthy three" had served no misbranded foods and that the brain will respond to right treatment of the stomach.

The ceremonies of the completion of the temple was a fitting climax of the evening's enjoyment. Robert N. Allen as right worshipful master was superb. His dignity and assurance emphasized in detail the essentials of the constructive work of this degree and gave those present further enlightenment in the work that was inspiring.

The music by a quartette composed of Mrs. James R. Moorehead, Jr., Mrs. Worth Bates, Wm. Aull, Jr., and John J. Price, with B. M. Little at the organ, enhanced the impressiveness of this ceremony.

The class was composed of the following: John R. Rougemont, Levi Kramer, Harry Altheide, J. Paul Crouch, Thos. B. Harris, H. G. White and De Forest Spore.

The time of the regular convocation was taken up by the election of officers. The following were chosen:

Dr. Z. M. Williams, High priest; G. Hubert Bates, king; H. C. Chiles, scribe; Guy Morrison, captain of the host; Dr. C. W. Johnson, principal sojourner; F. Lee Wallace, royal arch captain; R. P. Cherry, master 3rd veil; S. W. Williams, master 2nd veil; C. B. Waddell, master 1st veil; J. C. Shelton, treasurer; Dr. W. R. Eckle, secretary; Jas. R. Moorehead, Jr., sentinel.

Births.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Sharrow announce the birth of a boy, Thursday, November 30, 1916.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Hessel of Kearney, Mo., announce the birth of a daughter, Thursday, November 30, 1916. Mrs. Hessel was formerly Miss Nettie Zimmerman of this city.

Dr. and Mrs. J. Q. Cope announce the birth of a boy, Thursday, November 30, 1916.

L. H. S. CLOSE SEASON WITH A VICTORY

Boys Play With Bull Dog Tenacity and Reverse Former Defeat by Oak Grove.

The Lexington High School gridiron gladiators Thursday met Oak Grove on the W. M. A. ground and smothered the visitors by a score of 13 to 7. The local boys were defeated by the same team about a week ago, at Oak Grove, but this time they were playing for their letters and although outweighed by a good margin they scored two touchdowns and kicked one goal in the first half.

The second half was a grueling, smashing contest; the local boy's fighting "to have and to hold" what they had made and the visitors with equal desperation trying to overcome that lead and annex the game. But there was nothin' doing in that line, and although crowded pretty hard, they held to the finish and won—by sheer pluck.

The star of the game was Tommy Holleron, the local quarterback, who played a brilliant game against the huskies. Other pigskin artists who shone brightly were Gillespie, Cross, Lundberg and Lindblad.

Elks Memorial Service.

The annual memorial service of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of the United States of America was observed Sunday by Lexington Lodge No. 749 by appropriate services held in the Methodist Episcopal Church South.

Following was the programme:

Prelude—Funeral March—Glover

Opening Service

LODGE

Invocation

REV. R. N. ALLEN

Choir: As Pants the Hart

Handel-Orem

Ritual Exercises by the Officers

Choir: Abide with Me—Cranmer

Memorial Address

HON. H. A. COLLIER

Auld Lang Syne

CHOIR AND AUDIENCE

Closing Exercises

LODGE

Postlude

Berg

The choir consisted of Miss

Winifred Winn at the organ;

Mrs. James R. Moorehead, soprano;

Mrs. Worth Bates, Contralto;

Mr. Wm. Aull, Jr., tenor;

Mr. John J. Price, bass.

The following members have

died since the lodge was organized:

George W. Marquis, Sanford

B. Thornton, A. W. Sandring,

Evan Young, James Cooney,

John T. Meierer, John Welborn,

Orlando Bradley, Robert A.

Hicklin, Chas. P. Loomis, H. C.

Landrum, Bart McDermott, Dick

Stalling.

In Uncle Sam's Clutches.

Beverly Arnold, colored, was taken to Kansas City Monday by a deputy United States marshal to answer to the charge of forging Matilda Matthew's name to a money order. Arnold received the letter from the post office, opened it and finding a money order for three dollars payable to Matilda, signed her name and cashed it. Exit Arnold.

Circuit Court.

The circuit court with Judge Samuel Davis presiding, convened Friday in adjourned session. The partition suits of McFadin vs. McFadin, received first call.

Batting is scarce, but McCausland has plenty at 15 and 25.

BOY RUN OVER AND KILLED

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Robinson Victim of Automobile.

Jesse Robinson, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Robinson, who conduct a boarding house near the McGrew mine, was run over by an automobile driven by Miss Clella Brooks Thursday about 11:30 o'clock and instantly killed. The boy's skull was fractured and back broken, and no doubt, died instantly. Miss Brooks was on her way to Wellington when the accident happened.

The little fellow was born January 24, 1912, and was nearly five years of age. The funeral was held from the home Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Council Proceedings.

The city council met in regular session Monday night, with Mayor Minor presiding.

The minutes of the last regular and called meetings were read, received and ordered filed.

The report of the Treasurer and Police Judge for the month of November 1916 were read, received and ordered filed.

A motion was passed that hereafter the council will not allow automobiles bills contracted by the police force.

The bill for the Missouri Gas and Electric Service Company, amounting to \$321.45 was allowed.

A motion was passed that the Committee on scales be instructed to audit the books of both the 2nd and 3rd ward scales and make report on same.

Green-Dennis.

Elmer Green and Miss Alice Dennis, both of Higginsville were married at the Methodist parsonage, by Rev. R. N. Allen, Saturday night at 7:00 o'clock.

Criminal Court.

Judge John A. Rich convened the criminal court Monday morning for the December term. Parole cases were first to receive attention. A grand jury was summoned and commenced work Monday afternoon.

The following gentleman compose the grand jury:

J. K. Kolster, S. W. Fletcher, Peachy Rhodes, E. T. Stier, Daniel Holke, John D. Slusher, William Humphreys, J. W. Bryant, Carson Armstrong, Wood Brown, J. W. McVay and J. Arthur Bour.

Victa Costa Wednesday plead guilty to selling liquor without a license and was fined \$200.

Death of Joseph R. Fortman.

Joseph R. Fortman, who had been deputy superintendent of the branch office of the Metropolitan Insurance office in this city for the past year and half, died at his home, 2023 Main Street, Thursday morning at 8 o'clock after a three weeks illness of typhoid fever. Mr. Fortman was born in Deyers, Iowa, June 10, 1889, and was 29 years of age. He leaves a wife and two small children. The body was taken to Dubuque, Iowa, Friday morning for burial.

Death of a Child.

The six year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bailey, who reside 10 miles south of Lexington died Friday afternoon about 2 o'clock. Her death resulting from burns received Thanksgiving day. She was playing near a fire when the flames caught her dress and before assistance arrived she was burned in such a manner as to cause death.

The funeral was held from the home Saturday at 2:30 o'clock. Burial was at Greenton.

WENTWORTH WINS CHAMPIONSHIP

Kemper Lacked the Punch. The Alertness of Wentworth a Deciding Factor.

Wentworth Thursday cinched the claim to the prep-school championship of Missouri in football by defeating the Kemper Military School at Boonville by the decisive score of 17 to 7. It is believed by many who saw the game that Kemper had the better team from their shoulders down. They had the ball two-thirds of the time, and in the first quarter, with the aid of thirty-five yards in penalties, made their only points—7, on a touchdown and a goal.

In the third quarter, began the beginning of the end of all things for Kemper. About the middle of the field a Kemperite fumbled; a Wentworthite, Collins by name, grabbed said fumble and with a clear field before him made record time in crossing the goal line. Mozely kicked goal. Wentworth 7; Kemper 7.

The fourth quarter found Kemper in possession of the ball on their own 45 yard line. After seasawing back and forth, a punt was blocked by Wentworth and the ball recovered. On the second play Minor carried the ball over and Mozley kicked goal. Wentworth 14; Kemper 7. After the kickoff and with only a few minutes to play, Cedar replaced Mozley and made a beautiful drop kick from the 25-yd. line. Wentworth 17; Kemper 7.

Officials—Bud Saunders, Missouri, referee; J. C. Mills, Jr., Missouri, umpire; W. B. Whitlow, Westminster, head linesman.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dawdy returned Monday to their home in Jefferson City.



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